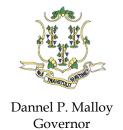


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POLICY BULLETIN 2015-09

Subject and Number	DCF Policy 36-16 Runaways: Notification and Follow Up Process
Related Practice Guides	Runaways: Notification and Follow up Process
Forms	None
Explanation	This is revised policy that sets forth the duties and responsibilities of DCF staff when a child has run away from placement. It now includes an assessment of each runaway episode in accordance with recent federal law.
Effective Date	September 14, 2015
Suggestions for Improvement	If you have any suggestions for clarifying or improving the attached policy, procedures or forms, please contact: Dr. Linda Dixon, Director of Psychological Services, at 860-550-6383.
Sunsetted	The following policy has been replaced by this revision:
Policy and Forms	None